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ABSTRACT

Designed to provide access to information on health and health-related careers for American Indians, this directory presents the following: (1) Introduction (describes the need for American Indian health professionals and presents statistics on the number of Indians needed in the major health careers); (2) General Health Career Information (7 entries re: trends, statistics, programs, etc.); (3) Health and Health-Related Career Information (84 names and addresses of associations, agencies, specialized colleges, societies, programs, etc.); (4) Financial Planning Information (13 names and addresses of agencies supplying financial planning information); (5) Financial Aids, Grants, and Scholarship Programs for American Indians (8 names and addresses of health and general financial resources allocated especially for Indians); (6) General Financial Aids, Grants, and Scholarship Programs (22 entries); (7) Private and Organizational Financial Resources (31 names and addresses of funds, foundations, and associations); (8) Special Indian Programs in Health Careers (16 entries); (9) Training and Education Programs of the Public Health Service/Indian Health Service (14 entries as listed in the 1970 Department of Health, Education, and Welfare publication "New Careers in the Indian Health Program"). (JC)

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"Some people assert that the Indians prefer to live as they do; that they are happier in their idleness and irresponsibility. The question is whether these people do not mistake for happiness and content an almost oriental fatalism and resignation. The survey staff found all together too much evidence of suffering and discontent to subscribe to the belief that the Indians are reasonably satisfied with their condition. The amount of serious illness and poverty is too great to permit of real contentment. The Indian is like the white man in his affection for his children and he feels keenly the sickness and loss of his offspring."

-- The Meriam Report[1]

Introduction

In his message to Congress in 1970, then-President Nixon summarized the current state of the American Indian in these words:

> "The first Americans - the Indians - are the most deprived and most isolated minority group in our nation. On virtually every scale of measurement -- employment, income, education, health -- the condition of the Indian people ranks at the bottom.
>
> This condition is the heritage of centuries of injustice. From the time of their first contact with European settlers, the American Indians have been oppressed and brutalized, deprived of their ancestral lands and denied the opportunity to control their own destiny. Even the Federal programs which are intended to meet their needs have frequently proven to be ineffective and demanding."[2]

Reflecting on this and citing the staggering list of grim statistics that so painfully and graphically give meaning to these words, Dr. George Blue Spruce, Jr., noted American Indian leader and dentist, notes that it is indeed a sad commentary on the state of affairs, especially when compared with the state of the Indians as reported in the writings of early explorers and settlers.[3] In a speech entitled "Needed: Indian Health Professionals," Dr. Blue Spruce quotes French Essayist Michel de Montaigne who declared: "It is rare to see a sick body amongst them," William Wood who wrote: "Most of them reach fifty before a wrinkled brow or grey hair betrays their age," and a Dutch account which related: "It is somewhat strange that among these people there are few or none that are blind or crippled; all are well-fashioned people, strong of mind and body, without a blemish . . . "[4]

Indeed, if one compares these comments and observations as made in the 1600's and 1700's with the plight of the Indian people in our modern,

affluent society today, it is a sad commentary on what has taken place in the relatively short space of the history of this country. With all the progress that has been made in all areas, particularly in the area of health care and services, the health condition of American Indians is appalling. In his address to Congress in 1971 the President of the United States paid witness to this as he said:

> "Despite significant improvements in the past decade and a half, the health of Indian people still lags 20 to 25 years behind that of the general population. The average age of death among Indians is 44 years, about one-third less than the national average. Infant mortality is nearly 50% higher for Indians and Alaskan Natives than for the population at large; the tuberculosis rate is eight times as high and the suicide rate twice that of the general population. Many infectious diseases such as trachoma and dysentery that have all but disappeared among other Americans continue to afflict Indian people."[5]

Government statistics indicate that Indians still suffer a significantly higher (in some cases a phenomenally higher) incidence rate of Otitis Media, gastroenteritis, strep and sore throat, influenza, trachoma, dysentery, tuberculosis, pneumonia, measles, and diseases of the respiratory system, and have an abnormally critical necessity for treatment in the areas of dental, vision, and hearing-related diseases. Overall statistics point out that the Indian is still worse off healthwise than the average citizen of this country.[6]

In the midst of all this suffering and tragedy, there is a glimmer of hope. Federal and state governments, in most cases, are taking steps toward resolution of these problems by moving toward providing better health care services for their Indian populations. Even more significant is the hope and determination that can be found among Indian people, and in particular young Indian people, themselves. For, as noted by the President in that same address to Congress in 1970:

" . . . the story of the Indian in America is something more than the record of the white man's frequent aggression, broken agreements, intermittent remorse and prolonged failure. It is a record also of endurance, or survival, of adaptation and creativity in the face of overwhelming obstacles. It is a record of enormous contributions to this country -- to its art and culture, to its strength and spirit, to its sense of history and its sense of purpose."[7]

The Need for American Indian Health Professionals

The need for Indians in the health services can only be labeled as overwhelming. As noted in virtually everything written about the subject, the involvement of Indian people in health and health-related career fields at this time is almost nil and is even losing ground with the tremendously growing demand for health services. Statistics taken from the American Indian Health Careers Handbook dramatically point out this great need:

American Indians in the Health Professions[8]

Career Category or Area	National Total (Approximate)	Number of Amer. Indians (Approximate)	Number of American Indians Needed (Based on 1 m. pop.)
Population base	210,000,000	850,000	
Medical Doctor (MD)	340,000	56	1,475
Doctor of Osteopathy (DO)	14,000	1	66
Doctor of Dental Surgery (DDS)	120,000	8	540
Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM)	25,000	2	112
Doctor of Optometry (OD)	18,000	2	84
Doctor of Pharmaceutical Medicine (Pharm D)	125,000	30	562
Doctor of Podiatric Medicine (DPM)	8,000	0	42
Nurses	750,000	400	3,000
Dental or Medical Students	44,000	130	Unlimited

There is no question that there is a great necessity to develop interest and resources for Indian people. There is also no question that there is great need for Indian people to study and become qualified professionals in health and health-related career fields. The real questions to be answered for the American Indian are:

> Where can I get information? What have these career fields to offer? What kinds of opportunities are there for study, development and advancement? How and where can I get financial aid to pursue such a career? What kinds of programs are available in the field of health?

What has been attempted in this publication is to provide a directory of information, resources, and career information which may be used in pursuit of individual interests. A corollary reading that emphasizes additional background on health careers is "American Indian Health Careers Handbook"[8] (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED 125 828). It is hoped that this assistance will open the doors to new horizons and opportunities for American Indians.

> "The Indian youth must be given the opportunities to develop their talents fully and to pursue their ambitions free of arbitrary barriers to learning and employment. They should have a chance to become professionals in the field of their choice such as teachers, nurses, doctors, engineers, managers, lawyers and leaders."
>
> - Dr. C. Mindell[9]

> "Our people have always been admired for what we can do with our hands. Give us a chance to show you what we can do with our minds."
>
> - Unknown

Health Career Information (General)

1.	Health Careers Guide Book	U.S. Department of Labor/U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare Doc. #2900-0158 U.S. Government Printing Office Washington, D.C. 20402 (Price: $2.25)
2.	Join the Life Corps	Bureau of Health Resources Development, Health Resources Administration, U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare 900 Rockville Pike Bethesda, Md. 20014 (Free)
3.	Where to Get Health Career Information	National Health Council, Inc. 1740 Broadway New York, NY 10019 (Free)
4.	American Indian Health Careers	Association of American Indian Physicians 1300 McGee Drive Norman, Okla. 73069 (Free)
5.	Health Resources Statistics: Health Manpower and Health Facilities	U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare Public Health Service Document U.S. Government Printing Office Washington, DC 20402
6.	Indian Health Trends and Services	U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare Public Health Service Health Resources Administration Indian Health Service Document No. DHEW HSA 74-12-009 U.S. Government Printing Office Washington, DC 20402
7.	The Indian Health Program of the U.S. Public Health Service	U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare Public Health Service Health Service and Mental Health Administration Document No. HSM 72-504, Stock No. 1728-0003 U.S. Government Printing Office Washington, DC 20402

Health and Health-Related Career Information

1. American Academy of Pediatrics
   1801 Hinman Avenue
   Evanston, Ill 60204

2. American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons
   430 North Michigan Avenue
   Chicago, Ill 60611

3. American Academy of Family Physicians
   1740 West 92nd Street
   Kansas City, Mo 64114

4. American Association of Dental Schools
   211 East Chicago Avenue
   Chicago, Ill 60611

5. American Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation
   1201-16th Street, NW
   Washington, DC 20036

6. American Association of Opthalmology
   1100-17th Street, NW
   Washington, DC 20036

7. American Cancer Society
   219 East 42nd Street
   New York, NY 10017

8. American Chemical Society
   1155-16th Street
   Washington, DC 20036

9. American Council on Education
   One Dupont Circle, NW
   Washington, DC 20036

10. American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists
    One East Wacker Drive
    Chicago, Ill 60601

11. American College of Radiology
    20 North Wacker Drive
    Chicago, Ill 60606

12. American College of Surgeons
    55 East Erie Street
    Chicago, Ill 60611

13. American College of Hospital Administrators
    840 North Lake Shore Drive
    Chicago, Ill 60611

14. American Dental Association
    211 East Chicago Avenue
    Chicago, Ill 60611

15. American Dental Assistants Association
    211 East Chicago Avenue
    Chicago, Ill 60611

16. American Dental Hygienists Association
    211 East Chicago Avenue
    Chicago, Ill 60611

17. The American Dietetic Association
    620 North Michigan Avenue
    Chicago, Ill 60611

18. American Heart Assocation
    44 East 23rd Street
    New York, NY 10010

19. American Home Economics Association
    1600-20th Street, NW
    Washington, DC 20009

20. American Hospital Association
    840 North Lake Shore Drive
    Chicago, Ill 60611

21. American Indian Nurses Association
    2241 West Lindsey, Suite 502
    Norman, Okla 73069

22. American Institute of Biological Sciences
    3900 Wisconsin Avenue, NW

23. The American Medical Association
    535 North Dearborn Street
    Chicago, Ill 60610

24. American Medical Association
Education and Research Foundation
535 North Dearborn Street
Chicago, Ill 60610

25. American Medical Womens' Association, Inc.
1740 Broadway
New York, NY 10019

26. ANA-NLN Nursing Careers Program
American Nurses Association
10 Columbus Circle
New York, NY 10019

27. The American Occupational and Therapy Association
251 Park Avenue South
New York, NY 10010

28. American Orthoptic Council
3400 Massachusetts Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20007

29. American Pharmaceutical Association
2215 Constitution Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20037

30. American Physiological Society
9650 Rockville Pike
Bethesda, Md 20014

31. American Physical Therapy Association
1156-15th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20005

32. American Podiatry Association
20 Chevy Chase Circle, NW
Washington, DC 20015

33. American Psychiatric Association
1700-18th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20009

34. American Psychological Association
1200-7th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20036

35. American Public Health Association
1015-18th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20036

36. The American Speech and Hearing Association
9039 Old Georgetown Road
Washington, DC 20014

37. American Scholarship Association
225 Park Avenue South
New York, NY 10003

38. American Society of Internal Medicine
535 Central Tower Building
307 Market Street
San Francisco, Ca 94941

39. American Society of Anesthesiologists
525 Busse Highway
Park Ridge, Ill 60068

40. American Society for Medical Technology
5555 West Loop Street, Suite 200
Houston, Tx 77401

41. American Society of Biological Chemists
9650 Wisconsin Avenue
Washington, DC 20014

42. American Society of Radiologic Technologists
645 North Michigan
Chicago, Ill 60611

43. American Society of Hospital Pharmacists
4360 Montgomery Avenue
Washington, DC 20014

44. American Veterinary Medical Association
930 North Meacham Road
Schoumburg, Ill 60172

45. Association of American Medical Colleges
One Dupont Circle, NW
Washington, DC 20036

46. Association of Medical Illustrators
738 Keystone Avenue
River Forest, Ill 60305

47. Board of World Missions
Lutheran Church of America
231 Madison Avenue
New York, NY 10016

48. Catholic Medical Mission Board
10 West 17th Street
New York, NY 10011

49. The College Admission Center
801 Davis Street
Evanston, Ill 60201

50. College of American Pathologists
7400 North Skokie
Skokie, Ill 60076

51. Committee on Nursing
American Medical Association
535 North Dearborn
Chicago, Ill 60610

52. Department of Allied Medical
Professions and Services
American Medical Association
535 North Dearborn
Chicago, Ill 60610

53. Department of Health, Education
and Welfare
Vocational Rehabilitation Administration
Washington, DC 20201

54. Department of Medicine and Surgery
Veterans Administration
Washington, DC 20426

55. Laymen's Overseas Services
4920 Piney Branch Road, NW
Washington, DC 20011

56. Medical Assistance Programs,
Inc. of the Christian Medical
Society
PO Box 50
Wheaton, Ill 60187

57. Medical Library Association
Palmolive Building
919 North Michigan Avenue
Chicago, Ill 60611

58. Medical Operations; Project Hope
People to People Foundation
2233 Wisconsin Avenue, NW.
Washington, DC 20007

59. Medico (CARE)
2007 Eye Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006

60. Medical and Health
Department of Defense
The Pentagon
Washington, DC 20025

61. Methodist Committee for Overseas
Relief
475 Riverside Drive
New York, NY 10027

62. National Health Council
1740 Broadway
New York, NY 10019

63. National Association for Mental
Health
1800 West Kent Street
Arlington, Va 22209

64. National Association of Social
Workers
2 Park Avenue
New York, NY 10016

65. National Association for Practical
Nurses
Education and Service
122 East 42nd Street
New York, NY 10017

66. National Federation of Licensed
Practical Nurses, Inc.
250 West 57th Street
New York, NY 10019

67. National Merit Scholarship Corp
900 Grove Street
Evanston, Ill 60201

68. National Society for Crippled
Children and Adults
2023 West Ogden Avenue
Chicago, Ill 60612

69. National Tuberculosis Association
1740 Broadway
New York, NY 10019

70. The Registry of Medical Technologists
710 South Wolcott Avenue
Chicago, Ill 60612

71. Science Talent Search
Science Clubs of America
1719 N Street, NW
Washington, DC 20036

72. Society of Public Health Educators, Inc.
419 Park Avenue South
New York, NY 10016

73. Thomas A. Dooley Foundation
442 Post Street
San Francisco, Ca 94100

74. United Cerebral Palsey Association, Inc.
66 East 34th Street
New York, NY 10016

75. U.S. Public Health Service
Public Inquiries Branch
Office of Information
Washington, DC 20025

76. Water Pollution Control Federation
3900 Wisconsin Avenue
Washington, DC 20016

77. Association of American Indian Physicians
1300 McGee Drive
Norman, Okla 73069

78. Office of Allied Health Board
Navajo Health Authority
Navajo Community College
Chinle, Az 86503

79. Phoenix Area Indian Health Board
4229 North 16th Street
Phoenix, Az 85016

80. Office of Native Healing Sciences
PO Box 643
Window Rock, Az 86515

81. Health Careers Project
102 Lacy Street
Fairbanks, Ak 99701

82. Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board
812 SW Washington Street
Portland, Ore 97204

83. Native Americans Into Medicine Program
University of Minnesota
Medical School
Duluth, Mn 55812

84. Masters of Public Health Program for Native Americans
University of California - Berkeley
Berkeley, Ca 94720

Financial Planning Information

1. A Selected List of Major Fellowship Opportunities and Aids to Advanced Education for United States Citizens

   Fellowship Office
   National Research Council
   2101 Constitution Avenue, NW
   Washington, DC 20418

2. Educational Scholarships, Loans, and Financial Aids

   Department of the Army
   Office of the Adjutant General
   Pamphlet No. 352-1
   The Pentagon
   Washington, DC 20301

3. Financial Information National Directory: Health Careers

   American Medical Association
   535 North Dearborn
   Chicago, Ill 60610

4. Financial Aid for Higher Education

   U.S. Office of Education Document
   U.S. Government Printing Office
   Washington, DC 20402

5. How Medical Students Finance Their Education

   U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare
   Public Health Service
   Publication No. 1336-1
   U.S. Government Printing Office
   Washington, DC 20402

6. Health Professions Student Loan Programs

   Bureau of Health Resources Development
   Health Resources Administration
   U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare
   9000 Rockville Pike
   Bethesda, Md 20014

7. Nursing Student Loan Programs

   Bureau of Health Resources Development
   Health Resources Administration
   U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare
   9000 Rockville Pike
   Bethesda, Md 20014

8. Scholarships for American Indians

Bureau of Indian Affairs
Higher Education Programs
PO Box 1788
Albuquerque, NM 87103

9. Need a Life - The American Legion Educational and Scholarship Programs

The American Legion
Department S
PO Box 1055
Indianapolis, Ind 46206

10. The Health Professionals Student Loan Program

U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare
Public Health Service
Publication No. 72-276
U.S. Government Printing Office
Washington, DC 20402

11. The Public Health Scholarships Program

U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare
Public Health Service
Publication No.72-276
U.S. Government Printing Office
Washington, DC 20402

12. Armed Forces Health Professions Scholarship Plan

Department of Defense
Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Environment
The Pentagon
Washington, DC 20301

13. Navy Scholarship Plan

Public Affairs Officer
Bureau of Medicine and Surgery
Department of the Navy
Attn: Code 3174
Washington, DC 20390

Financial Aids, Grants and Scholarship Programs
(Indian)

1. American Indian Nurses Association
   All State Scholarships
   2241 West Lindsey, Suite 502
   Norman, Okla 70369

2. American Indian Scholarships, Inc.
   211 Sierra, NE
   Albuquerque, NM 78108

3. Association of American Indian Physicians
   1300 McGee Drive
   Norman, Okla 73069

4. Bureau of Indian Affairs
   Higher Education Grants Program
   PO Box 1788
   Albuquerque, NM 78103

5. Indian Health Employees Scholarship Fund, Inc.
   Executive Secretary, Indian Health
   Employees Scholarship Fund
   Citizens Building, Room 604
   Aberdeen, SD 57401

6. Office of Student Affairs
   Navajo Health Authority
   PO Box 643
   Window Rock, Az 86515

7. Scholarship and Education Office
   (Student's Tribe
   Care of Tribal Headquarters)

8. United Scholarship Services, Inc.
   PO Box 18285
   Denver, Col 80218

Financial Aids, Grants and Scholarship Programs
(General)

1. Armed Forces Scholarships
   Box A
   University City, Tx 78148

2. Armed Forces Health Professions
   Scholarship Plan
   Department of Defense
   Asst Secretary for Health Environment
   The Pentagon
   Washington, DC 20301

3. Basic Educational Opportunity
   Grants (BEOG)
   c/o Financial Aids Office
   University of your choice

4. Dr. Jonas E. Salk Scholarships
   New York City Board of Higher
   Education
   535 East 80th Street
   New York, NY 10021

5. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
   Board of Higher Education
   Medical School Scholarship
   182 Fremont Street
   Boston, Ma 02111

6. Health Professions Student Loan
   Program
   Division of Physicians and Health,
   Professionals Education
   Bureau of Health Resources
   Development
   Health Resources Administration
   Dept of Health, Education and
   Welfare
   9000 Rockville Pike
   Bethesda, Md 20014

7. Federally Insured Student Loans
   (FISL)
   c/o Local Finance and Loan
   Institutions or Local Banks

8. College Work Study Programs
   c/o Financial Aids Office
   University of your choice

9. Max C. Fleishmann Foundation
   Medical Education Grants
   Nevada State Dept of Education
   Carson City, Nv

10. Navy Scholarship Plans
    Public Affairs Officer
    Bureau of Medicine and Surgery
    Department of the Navy
    Attn Code: 3174
    Washington, DC 20390

11. New England Board of Higher
    Education
    40 Grove Street
    Wellesley, Ma 02181

12. Nursing Student Loan Program
    Division of Nursing Education
    Bureau of Health Resources Development
    Health Resources Administration
    Department of Health, Education and
    Welfare
    9000 Rockville Pike
    Bethesda, Md 20014

13. Minority Student Affairs Offices
    c/o University of your choice

14. National Direct Student Loan (NDSL)
    c/o Financial Aids Office
    University of your choice

15. Office of Medical Manpower
    New York State Department of Health
    84 Holland Avenue
    Albany, NY 12208

16. State Medical Education Board of
    Georgia
    244 Washington, SW, Room 468
    Atlanta, Ga 30334

17. Southern Regional Education Board
    130 Sixth Street, NW
    Atlanta, Ga 30313

18. State Department of Education
    c/o State Capitol
    State of Residence

19. Supplemental Educational Opportunity
Grant (SEOG)
c/o Financial Aids Office
University of your choice

20. Social Security Administration
c/o Local service offices

21. Veterans Administration
c/o Local services offices

22. Vocational Rehabilitation Services
c/o Local services offices

Private and Organizational

1. American Medical Association
   Education and Research Foundation
   535 North Dearborn Street
   Chicago, Ill 60610

2. American Association of University Women
   Education Foundation
   2401 Virginia Avenue, NW
   Washington, DC 20037

3. American Medical Women's Association
   Loan Fund
   1740 Broadway
   New York, NY 10019

4. American Fund for Dental Education
   Suite 1630
   211 East Chicago Avenue
   Chicago, Ill 60611

5. American Indian Nurses Association/
   All State Scholarships
   2241 West Lindsey
   Suite 502
   Norman, Okla 73069

6. Albert Strikler Memorial Foundation
   1006 Lafayette Building
   Philadelphia, Pa 19106

7. American Legion Educational and
   Scholarship Program
   American Legion Dept 5
   PO Box 1055
   Indianapolis, Ind 46206

8. Association of American Indian
   Physicians
   1300 McGee Drive
   Norman, Okla 73069

9. Berkshire District Medical
   Society
   741 North Street
   Pittsfield, Ma 01201

10. Emergency Scholarships
    Association of American Indian Affairs
    432 Park Avenue South
    New York, NY 10016

11. Educational and Scientific Trust of
    the Pennsylvania Medical Society
    20 Erford Road
    Lemoyne, Pa 17043

12. Family Practice Scholarship Sub-
    committee
    Ohio State Medical Association
    17 South High Street
    Columbus, Oh 43215

13. Fellows Memorial Fund
    Dr. T. Felton Harrison
    Pensacola Junior College
    1000 College Blvd
    Pensacola, Fl 32504

14. General Electric Company
    1285 Boston Avenue - 24 EE
    Bridgeport, Ct 06602

15. Grand Street Boys' Foundation
    131 West 56th Street
    New York, NY 10019

16. Joseph Collins Foundation
    One Chase Manhattan Plaza
    New York, NY 10005

17. John A. Brennelke Loan Fund
    The Aurora Foundation
    PO Box 671
    Aurora, Ill 60507

18. Marcus & Theresa Levie Educational
    Fund
    One South Franklin Street
    Chicago, Ill 60606

19. Mable Wilson Richards Scholarship Fund
    1977 DeMille Drive
    Los Angeles, Ca 90027

20. Mediclinics Educational Fund
Medical Student Loan Program
930 Northwestern Bank Bldg
Minneapolis, Minn 55402

21. National Medical Fellowship, Inc.
3935 Elm Street
Downers Grove, Ill 60515

22. Nevada State Medical Association
3660 Baker Lane
Reno, Nv 89502

23. National Merit Scholarship Corporation
990 Grove Street
Evanston, Ill 60201

24. National Honor Society
National Association of Secondary School Principals
1201-16th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006

25. Pickett and Hatcher Educational Fund
PO Box 2128
Columbus, Ga 31902

26. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
American Fund for Dental Education
c/o Dental school of your choice

27. Scanlon Medical Foundation/Iowa Medical Society
1001 Grand Avenue
West Des Moines, Ia 50265

28. State of Alabama Board of Medical Scholarship Awards
1919-7th Avenue South
Birmingham, Ala 35233

29. Student Loan Fund
General Executive Board
Presbyterian Church in the United States
341 Ponce De Leon Avenue, NE
Atlanta, Ga 30308

30. The United Student Aid Fund, Inc.
5259 North Tacoma Avenue
Indianapolis, Ind 46220

31. Local Civic Organization, Business and Private Firms' Scholarship Programs
c/o High School Counselors and Financial Aids Offices

Special Indian Program in Health Careers

1. Association of University Programs in Hospital Administration
   Office of Student Affairs
   Suite 420, One Dupont Circle
   Washington, DC 20036

2. Career Opportunities in the Health Sciences
   Department of Microbiology
   University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Centers
   Oklahoma City, Okla 73190

3. Colorado State University
   College of Veterinary Medicine
   Dept of Clinical Sciences
   Fort Collins, Col 80521

4. Health Careers Summer Program
   Harvard Summer School
   Department HC
   1350 Massachusetts Avenue
   Cambridge, Ma 02138

5. Headlands Summer Program
   American Indian Institute
   University of Oklahoma
   Norman, Okla 73069

6. INMED Program
   University of North Dakota
   Grand Forks, ND 58201

7. Navajo Health Authority
   PO Box 643
   Window Rock, Ax 86515

8. Navajo Nation Health Foundation
   Ganado, Az 86505

9. National Science Foundation
   1800 G Street, NW
   Washington, DC 20550

10. Nurses Recruitment Program
    Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council, Inc.
    PO Box 5
    Lac Du Flambeau, Wis 54538

11. Native Americans into Medicine Program
    University of Minnesota Medical School
    Duluth, Mn 55812

12. Masters of Public Health Program for Native Americans
    University of California - Berkeley
    Berkeley, Ca 94720

13. Southeastern State College
    Science Research Training Programs
    Durant, Okla 74701

14. Summer Program
    Association of American Indian Physicians, Inc.
    1300 McGee Drive, Suite 103
    Norman, Okla 73069

15. Summer Institute: Health Related Professions for College Students
    Indiana University
    Bloomington, Ind 47401

16. Upward Bound Programs
    c/o State Universities and Colleges

(Training and Education Programs of the Public Health Service/Indian Health Service - As listed in New Careers in the Indian Health Program, USDHEW, Dec 70)

1. Alaska Native Community Health Aide Training Program
   Contact: Alaska Area Native Health Service
   PO Box 7-741
   Anchorage, Alaska 99501
   Training period: 10 weeks
   Location: Anchorage Hospital
   Stipends: Room, board, books, etc., and salary provided during training
   Resulting qualification: Village Health Aide (Tribal)

2. Community Health Representative Training Program
   Contact: Nearest Indian Health Service Area Director
   Training period: 4 - 6 weeks
   Location: Desert Willow Training Center, Tucson, Arizona
   Stipends: Room, board, books, etc., and salary provided during training
   Resulting qualification: Community Health Representative (Tribal)

3. Dental Assistant Training Program
   Contact: Director of Dental Assistant Training Program
   Intermountain School
   USPHS Indian Health Center
   Brigham City, Utah 84302
   Training period: 10 months
   Location: 1. Mount Edgecumbe Alaska, Alaska Native Hospital
   2. Haskell Institute, Lawrence, Kansas
   3. Intermountain School
   Stipends: Monthly stipend plus room, board, etc., provided during training
   Resulting qualification: Dental Assistant at GS-3 level; eligibility for certification by American Dental Assistants Assn.

4. Nursing Assistant Training Program
   Contact: Nearest Indian Health Service Area Director
   Training period: 50 hours
   Location: Any IHS Hospital
   Stipends: Supplies, salary and uniforms provided during training
   Resulting qualification: Nursing Assistant or Orderly qualification at GS-3 level

5. Advanced Nurses' Aide Training Program
   Contact: Director of Nursing at nearest Indian Health Center
   Training period: 14 weeks
   Location: Rapid City, South Dakota
   Stipends: Supplies and salary during training period
   Resulting qualification: Advanced Nurses' Aide at GS-3 level

6. Practical Nurses Training (LPN Basic) Program
   Contact: Director of Indian School of Practical Nursing
   1015 Indian School Road, NW
   Albuquerque, NM 87102
   Training period: 1 year
   Location: Indian School of Practical Nursing, Albuquerque, New Mexico

Stipends: Tuition, room, board, monthly stipend during training
Resulting qualification: LPN at GS-3 level after licensing by New Mexico State Board of Examiners

7. Advanced Practical Nursing Training (Clinical) Program
Contact: Director of Nursing at nearest Indian Health Center or Area Director
Training period: 3 months
Location: Rapid City, South Dakota
Stipends: Trainees placed on regular salary
Resulting qualifications: Advanced LPN at GS-4 level

8. Licensed Practical Nurse Public Health Training Program
Contact: Director of Nursing at IHS Hospital or Area Director
Training period: 3 months
Location: Shiprock, New Mexico
Stipends: Trainees placed on salary
Resulting qualification: Qualified as Assistant to Public Health Nurse at GS-4 level

9. Environmental Health Aide/Technician Training Program
Contact: Chief of Office of Environmental Health, Indian Health Service, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Md 20852
Training period: 2 - 4 weeks
Location: IHS Desert Willow Training Center, Tucson, Arizona
Stipends: Trainee on regular employment
Resulting qualification: Environmental Health Aide or Technician for IHS at GS-3 level or above

10. Food Service Training Program
Contact: Chief of Nutrition and Dietetics Branch, Indian Health Service, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Md 20852
Training period: 13 months
Location: Santa Fe, New Mexico
Stipends: Trainee on regular employment status, room, board, transportation provided
Resulting qualification: Food Service Supervisor

11. Laboratory Assistant Training Program
Contact: Director of Certified Laboratory School, USPHS Indian Hospital, Gallup, New Mexico 87301
Training period: 12 months
Location: Gallup, New Mexico
Stipends: Room, board, uniforms, textbooks, stipends during training
Resulting qualification: Eligibility for National Registry Examination, Eligibility for GS-4 level in Federal Civil Service

12. Radiologic (X-ray) Technology Training Program
Contact: Director of School of Radiologic Technology, USPHS Indian Hospital, Gallup, New Mexico 87301

Training period: 24 months
Location: Gallup, New Mexico
Stipends: Room, board, uniforms, textbooks, and stipend during training
Resulting qualification: Eligibility to take American Registry of Radiologic Technologist exam, GS-4 level employment

13. Medical Records Technician Training Program
Contact: Chief of Health Records Education, Indian Health Service, 1608 East Earl Drive, Suite 2, Phoeniz, Az 85016
Training period: 2 years
Location: Any approved college offering Associate Degree in Records Science
Stipends: Textbooks, supplies and monthly stipend during training
Resulting qualification: Work in records departments and medical centers upon certification (GS-4 level)

14. Social Work Associate Program
Contact: Chief of Social Service Branch
Indian Health Service, Room 5A-08, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Md 20852
Training period: 2 years
Location: Southwest Indian Population and Alaskan Areas
Stipends: Trainees on regular employment status
Resulting qualification: Work with professionally trained social worker

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